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## AMONG THE ELKS A LIVELY MEETING IN THE LOCAL COURTS

Carnival Contract Let to Bostock & Co., By the Committee

Representative Potter Wired to Come at Once—Other Carnival Notes.

NO EXHIBIT STREET THIS YEAR

Councilmen and Others Met Last Night in Secret Caucus to Wrangle

The Members of the Council Stand Six to Six on Second Class Question.

THE MATTER IS LEFT IN DOUBT

The School Board Case Still on Trial in Circuit Court.

Several Suits Filed, One For Damages Against the Railroad Company.

A SMALL POLICE COURT TODAY

Messrs. L. A. Lagomarsino, Charles Weille and J. J. Read, of the Elks carnival committee, last night met at the office of Secretary Henry Nunn and decided to let the contract for furnishing the attractions for the Elks carnival to Bostock & Co., of Philadelphia. Mr. Potter, the representative, who is now in Newport, Ky., is expected at once to close the contract.

The committee took this action because they deemed the proposition of the Bostock people the better of the two. It also insures the Elks entirely new attractions.

The committee has also decided that there will be no exhibit street this year. The big arch will be near Ninth and Broadway, and the Jubilee Court will be located on the big lot there.

Some of the attractions offered by Bostock & Co. are as follows: Animal show, crystal maze, electrical theater and illusions, dog and monkey show, Pepper's ghost show, Wonderland and Bijou, German village, Fair Japan, moving pictures, trip to the moon, Venetian village.

Free acts—The great Grant, wonderful high wire man who walks on a wire through which passes 500 volts of electricity, monkey balloon ascension, triple bars, horizontal, 90 foot high dive.

### HEARD IN WASHINGTON.

Debate in Senate Covered a Wide Range Yesterday Afternoon.

Canal and Philippine Questions Discussed—News from the Capitol.

Washington, Feb. 7.—For four hours yesterday the Senate had the Philippine tariff bill under discussion. Toward the close of the session the discussion became heated. In response to a resolution offered several days ago by Mr. Rawlins of Utah, the secretary of war transmitted to the Senate the session laws enacted by the Philippine commission. They were read in full, and immediately drew the fire of the opponents of the government's Philippine policy. Mr. Hoar of Massachusetts expressed his astonishment that such laws should be enforced by the government authorities.

Mr. Foraker of Ohio had read from the revised statutes of the United States the laws of Congress relating to the crime of treason and similar offenses against the government, and said that the acts passed by the Philippine commission were almost identical in their language with the laws enacted by Congress in the days of the fathers of the republic, and that there was nothing unprecedented or unusual about them.

The Ohio Senator was interrupted continuously, and had several warm colloquies with Senators who were opposing him. In one of them he announced with great earnestness that the American army would never return from the Philippines until it returned victorious.

Early in the day Mr. Scott of West Virginia delivered a speech in which he advocated an investigation of the San Blas route for an isthmian canal, and Mr. Hunsbrough made a carefully prepared address on his bill to provide a national system of irrigation arid lands.

No document has ever been handled with more caution by the senate employees than the petition signed by 372 farmers, presented today by Senator Baker. Some of the clerks asked questions, while others demanded answers. The petition came from the settlement in Hawaii. The petitioners prayed that this settlement not made a national leper colony.

There is a bill before the ways and means committee providing for annual leave of absence for storekeepers and managers of the internal revenue department. It authorizes leave of absence of two and one-half days for each month of thirty days actually employed, and is approved by the commissioner of internal revenue. In every other department of the government officials and employees are allowed annual leave of absence with pay, seems but fair that storekeepers and managers should be allowed the privilege, and given like opportunity for rest and recuperation.

FOR PETTY LARCENY. Lightfoot was trying Andy Johnson, white, for stealing iron from J. R. Smith at press time. He was held over from the police court.

One of the liveliest meetings held in some time in Paducah was that last night of the city council, with several outsiders, behind closed doors, to consider the transfer of Paducah to the city of the second class. The session was held in the school board chamber at the city hall, and reporters were barred.

The causes that lead to the meeting, briefly summed up, are that about two years ago it was suggested that Paducah go into the second class. Mayor James M. Lang opposed the measure, because it would cost about \$400 to take the census, the federal census was only half a year off and he did not believe the city had over 20,000 inhabitants. The census was taken, and it showed that there were not 20,000 people here.

The following year the federal census was taken, and it failed to show 20,000 inhabitants. Then last year it was decided that Paducah was ready to go into the second class, and another census was taken. It showed over 20,000 inhabitants, and the council then passed an ordinance embodying the census report, and making the necessary provisions to have the legislature admit the city to the second class.

The new council came in in December, and took further steps toward having the legislature pass the necessary bill, and the documents, pursuant to an order of the council, were forwarded to Representative Clark, and given first passage.

A delegation went to Frankfort to confer with representatives of cities of the second class, and it was found that certain changes desired by Paducah could not be agreed on by representatives of second class cities, who did not deem them suited to those cities. The Paducah delegation came back, evidently opposed to the transfer to the second class, claiming that the disadvantages would outweigh the advantages, in view of the failure to get the desired concessions, and the meeting last night was to have the council consider the matter as a committee of the whole.

Present at the meeting were Mayor Yeiser, the twelve city councilmen, Judge Attorney J. M. Worten, County Judge R. L. Lightfoot, Former Mayor James M. Lang and City Clerk Patterson.

The liveliest part of the meeting, it is said, was a sparring match (verbal) between Former Mayor Lang and Former City Attorney Lightfoot. Dr. Lang led the second class forces, and Judge Lightfoot the forces opposed to the transfer to the second class. They wrangled for half an hour or more, according to reports.

When the vote was taken on whether it was the sense of the meeting that Paducah go into the second class, it stood as follows: Those in favor—Lang, Johnson, Taylor, Nicholas, Worten, Gilson, Brooks, Hannon and Lightfoot.

Against going into the second class—Yeiser, Fowler, Reed, Woolfolk, Hummel, Potter, Patterson and Jackson. It is seen that while Judge Lightfoot talked against the change, he voted for it.

It is also observed from the vote that the city council is six and six. Five of those who voted last night had no right to vote, so far as definite action is concerned, they being Messrs. Lang, Worten, Lightfoot, Yeiser and Patterson.

Some of those present wanted to leave the question to the Commercial club, as a body of representative citizens, who could come near expressing the intelligent sentiment of the people. This was not granted, however.

It was decided that Judge Lightfoot is to draft a number of amendments to the third class charter, which will give Paducah some desired changes and conciliate, perhaps, those who want to go into the second class. These amendments will be submitted to the council for its sanction, and if the council is in favor of them, an effort will be made to get the legislature to pass them.

As a result of last night's meeting, however, it is impossible to foretell what is going to be done. Some of those present last night say Paducah will go into the second class, and others say they don't think it will.

FUNERAL TOMORROW.

The funeral of the late Mrs. James Johnson will take place tomorrow morning from the family residence on West Jefferson street, burial at Oak Grove. Rev. G. W. Perryman will conduct the service.

The Sun has removed to the old News stand, 115 South Third street.

### CIRCUIT COURT.

The case of B. B. Davis against the board of education is still on trial in circuit court. The evidence has been partially heard, and it will be some time before the case is finished. Ex-Mayor Lang was on the stand this afternoon.

William M. Babb today filed a suit against R. C. Utterback, former deputy sheriff, and Mrs. L. A. Allcock. His homestead was attached and sold by Deputy Utterback, he alleges, and was purchased by Mrs. Allcock in the settlement of the estate of J. C. Allcock, deceased, and before the sale of the land was made the plaintiff had taken a bankrupt law, and the sheriff was given due notice of the case before the sale was made. The plaintiff prays to have restrained and prevented the making and the delivering of a deed to the defendant, Mrs. Allcock, and to restrain her from any further action in the matter of the purchase of the property. The place brought \$68.40, the price of the claim against it by the deceased.

F. G. Rudolph, administrator of the estate of the late J. H. Wilson, the I. C. engineer who met his death in a railroad accident in Tennessee on the February 6, 1901, filed a suit against the I. C. road and the conductor of the train on which Mr. Wilson was employed and Phillip Kothheimer, the engineer of the train that struck the train on which Mr. Wilson was employed. He wants \$25,000 damages.

Cora Blizard was this morning divorced from her husband, George D. Blizard.

By agreement the case of E. E. Lynn against H. K. Fowler was continued.

### COUNTY COURT.

Two suits were filed in the county court today.

The St. Louis Fireworks company filed a suit against the firm of DuBois and Co., to recover an alleged balance of \$114.05 on a bill alleged to have been sold the defendants.

O. L. Gregory filed suit against Jack Hart on a note for \$200.

### POLICE COURT.

The case against Robert Hale charged with cruelty to animals, was again continued.

Charles Grosshart and James Taylor were fined \$5 and costs each for being drunk and disorderly.

A case against George Garvey and Shorty Walker, for a breach of the peace, was continued. Walker has not been caught.

### AT FRANKFORT.

NEW BILLS INTRODUCED IN THE HOUSE TODAY—WORLD'S FAIR APPROPRIATION.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 7.—Several new bills were introduced today. In the senate Tompkins introduced a bill appropriating a hundred thousand dollars for the St. Louis exposition.

An oratorical hit in the house was that of Representative Lewis of Muhlenburg, favoring quail trapping.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 7.—The redistricting committee of the legislature has put the finishing touches to its work. At the request of several members of the legislature interested in the disposition of their counties, the changes originally announced have been revised. According to Democratic estimates the senate districts are 24 safely Democratic, 7 safely Republican and 7 doubtful.

Several new Democratic districts have been made in the mountains by changes in the house districts.

The third and ninth Congressional districts are made Democratic.

The Congressional districts are as follows: First district—No change. Second—Muhlenburg, with 650 Republican majority, added. Third—Muhlenburg, with 650 Republican majority, taken out and Adair with 250 Republican majority, added.

Fourth—Casey, with 500 Republican majority, added.

Fifth—No change.

Sixth—Grant taken out, with 600 Democratic majority.

Seventh—No change.

Eighth—No change.

Ninth—Grant, with 600 Democratic majority, added.

Tenth—No change.

Eleventh—Adair and Casey taken out. Adair has 250 Republican majority and Casey 500 Republican majority.

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### MUST DIE.

MISSISSIPPI MURDERERS ORDERED TO PAY DEATH PENALTY.

Greenville, Miss., Feb. 7.—Closing the exciting chapter of the murder case in which Ashley Cooke and Lauderdale were on trial for the killing of Engineer William Way on a Valley train last month, the jury last night returned a verdict of guilty as charged.

There was no equivocation about the verdict. It sealed the fate of the two men in the few words of legal form. In anticipation of the decision of the jury, the defendants had been brought into court, and they received the news with much show of emotion. Cooke sat with his head bowed and refused to raise his eyes from the floor. Lauderdale wept bitterly and broke down completely under the excitement and strain of the moment.

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### FATALLY HURT.

PAINTER AT FULTON STRUCK BY AN ILLINOIS CENTRAL TRAIN.

Fulton, Feb. 7.—Mr. J. M. Savage, a well known painter, was struck by a freight engine and probably fatally injured.

From reports he was stooping over, picking up coal near the track, and it is supposed he thought the train was on another track.

He was struck by the wooden bolster that projects from the engine. His skull was crushed, and concussion of the brain set in, and he is now in a critical condition and his death is expected at any moment. He was rendered unconscious, and has not spoken since the accident. He moved here from Calloway county several years ago, and is a hard working man.

Mr. Joe Bonds, the engineer on the engine, No. 620, which hit him, says he did not see Savage until it was too late to reverse his engine.

### AT GRAND RIVERS.

The First Furnace to Start in About Two Weeks.

Col. T. J. Scott is Here Today on Business—Small Damage By Fire.

Colonel T. J. Scott of the Grand Rivers iron furnaces, was in the city today on business, and returns to Grand Rivers this afternoon late. He stated to a reporter that the weather had delayed them about ten days, but they are getting in much coke and much ore, and the first furnace will start in about two weeks. The other will be started a short time afterward.

The house of Mr. Nichol there was slightly damaged by fire last Wednesday, being caused by a defective flue. The loss, owing to prompt action, was slight.

### SERIOUS CHARGE

A MAN NAMED HOWARD UNDER ARREST AT BENTON.

Benton, Ky., Feb. 7.—A man attempted to rape a gypsy woman near town Tuesday night. Maggie Smith, transient, saw the man with her father, and swore out a warrant against Dillard Howard, charging him with rape. Howard was arrested and jailed. The girl says he came to their camp, one mile north of town, Tuesday night, and threatened to shoot in the house if she did not come out, and as she refused, he went in the house and assaulted her. Howard denied the charge, and was later released, as the Smith girl said he was not the man. His brother was identified as the one, and will be tried Monday.

### DRIVEN TO SUICIDE.

Union City, Tenn., Feb. 7.—Ill health and financial troubles caused W. C. Webb to kill himself today by shooting with a pistol, at his home several miles from here. For many years he was a well known merchant of this city.

### AFTER FIFTY YEARS.

A POLICY WAS CANCELLED BECAUSE THE INSURED MADE A MISTAKE IN AGE.

Chicago, Feb. 7.—Because Thomas Chalmers of the firm of Fraser and Chalmers made a mistake in his age a life insurance company has cancelled a policy on his life, issued more than fifty years ago. Mr. Chalmers has brought suit in the Superior Court to have the company's action annulled.

When Mr. Chalmers in 1851 was, as he says in his bill, a "workingman," following his trade as a machinist, he took out a policy for \$2,100, giving the date of his birth as June 14, 1820. A few years later his daughter visited his old home in Scotland, and, consulting the parish register, discovered that the date of her father's birth was June 14, 1816.

Mr. Chalmers took out another policy for \$3,000 with the same company in 1866, and in filing his application gave his correct age. He continued to pay the premiums on the first policy, he says, after the second policy had made the company acquainted with his true age. Finally, in 1901, the policy was cancelled.

### OFFICERS ELECTED.

MEETING OF THE DIRECTORS OF THE CUMBERLAND TELEPHONE COMPANY.

Nashville, Feb. 7.—The Cumberland Telephone and Telegraph company held its annual meeting at Hopkinsville, Ky., yesterday. The president's report showed that the increase in subscribers during the year over the entire system was 19,000, making the total number of subscribers January 1, 76,000. The cost of improvements during the year amounted to \$1,500,000. There was no change in the directory, except Whitford R. Cole of Nashville succeeded Henry Sperry.

### THE WEATHER.

Last night the mercury went down to 16 degrees and the predictions from the weather bureau today are for fair and colder today and tonight, continued tomorrow.

### Y. M. C. A. WORK

A Committee Meeting Held Here Last Night.

State Secretary Rosevear Was in Attendance—Left for Louisville.

The arrangement committee of the local Y. M. C. A. held a meeting last night to discuss plans and arrangements for the big convention fast approaching. Secretary H. F. Rosevear of the state department was present, and left last night for Louisville, where he will mail the partly arranged program of the convention to the local association, so that the remainder can be filled out and the program prepared for printing.

Cards will be struck featuring the big events of the convention, and every means to create interest to outsiders adopted. Big cards have already been printed giving pictures of the prominent speakers and the subjects of their addresses.

There was also a preachers' conference held at the association last night, for the purpose of discussing the convention, and several arrangements made for holding services. The preachers will take an active part in the convention, and will do all in their power to make it the most successful ever held.

The ladies' committee will today or tomorrow purchase the curtains and other furnishings for the building.

The arithmetic class met last night with a small attendance.

Last night a few members of the association met to organize an indoor base ball team, but there were not enough present and organization was postponed.

### BUSINESS CHANGE

AT METROPOLIS. The heading factory of H. Rampendahl, Jr., and Co., at Metropolis has been leased to the Metropolis Spoke Works, and will be converted at once into a spoke factory. Rampendahl and Co. have bought the Daily Saw Mill Plant.



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**DAILY THOUGHT.**  
"It is better to have mountains to climb than to inherit ease and possession."

**CRUSADE FOR CLEANLINESS.**

The new administration in New York City is inaugurating some important changes, and among the things effected by it are the barber shops. The health commissioner has decided that they must be as near perfect as they can be, and this is doubtless a wise precaution. Although it may not be generally known, and is easily forgotten, men risk their health and happiness every time they patronize a barber shop, for there is no telling what disease may be contracted from the virus or germs left on a razor, comb, brush or towel.

The new rules to be enforced in New York are: "Don't use a sponge on the face after shaving. Don't use a powder puff. Don't use alum in stick form. Don't use a towel more than once."

There is not one of these sanitary rules that is not violated in nearly every shop in the country every day. In addition to the "don'ts" printed above, the commissioner will insist that every barber wash his hands carefully after he finishes with each customer. When a man rallies to the cry of "Next," he may also expect to find that the razor that is to be used upon him has been thoroughly cleaned, if not sterilized, since it was last used.

The commissioner thinks that no inspector will be needed to enforce the new rules. Every customer, realizing that they are for his own good, will become an inspector always ready to properly report remissness on part of the barbers. The commissioner says: "Where alum is used, it should be in the form of a powder. A sponge is the lazy man's tool, and it is a menace to every face. It is a medium for the carrying of disease, and there is no excuse for its use."

"It is the same with powder. It should be put on the face, not with a powder puff, which goes on all sorts of faces, but by a fresh towel. I shall be glad to have any one who sees any infraction of these rules report it to me."

It is promised that if the powers that be decide not to have the bill transferring Paducah to the second class passed in the legislature, steps may be taken by others to force the legislature to pass it. The constitution makes it imperative on the legislature to transfer cities containing over 20,000 inhabitants into the second class, and the last census shows that Paducah has over 20,000 inhabitants. In view of this, the legislature must, in pursuance of law, and the constitution, transfer Paducah into the second class, despite objections, but the legislature cares nothing about law or the constitution. It repeatedly violates both, and intends to re-district the state in a manner directly contrary to law. It will probably allow Paducah to remain in the class the authorities desire her to remain in.

About all the people who have any use for telephones can afford them at the present rate, and do afford them. A reduction in rates would add few indeed, to the number of telephone subscribers. Another telephone system might bring about a reduction in the rate. People are now getting connection with twelve hundred telephone for a dollar or two dollars a month. Suppose that with competitive systems they could get the same sort of a telephone for 50 cents or a dollar a month. This would be cheaper, but the subscriber would soon find that the dual system had divided the patronage, and where he formerly could get 1200 connections for a dollar he could then get only about four, five or six hundred for 50 cents. To get satisfactory service he would have to be annoyed by two telephones. The telephone business is one that competition does not improve.

Of course it is very reasonable to expect the legislature to "leave to the cities of the second class the right to

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say what officials they may have and what their respective salaries may be." The legislature has never left such things to cities of the first, second, or any other class, and it is not reasonable to expect it to leave it to cities of the second class, simply because Paducah wants to go into the second class—if the class is made to suit her. The officials authorized in the respective cities, and the salaries, are regulated by charter, and this charter is passed by the legislature. The difference in the officials, and the salaries paid them, constitute one of the chief differences of the various classes.

The Democratic state administration has proceeded to quietly ignore the damaging charges made against the Hopkinsville asylum officials, and will evidently whitewash the whole affair. This may surprise some of the blind, unsuspecting Democrats, but it will surprise no one who knows the kind of gang in power at Frankfort. To quash the allegations will be perfectly in keeping with the character of a crowd that has stolen every state office from the Republicans, and tried to ease the public conscience by persistently persecuting the men whose places they have thus ruthlessly usurped.

The Cuban question is gradually shaping itself, and the bolder spirits are already suggesting that we extend her an invitation to be adopted by us. We boast of having the greatest and freest country on earth. We have improved with 100 years of experience, and if Cuba cannot be pleased with the brand of freedom she would have as a part of us, she could be satisfied with nothing.

The coal men, the insurance men, and the lawyers and doctors, as well as the usually contented newspaper man, wants legislation this time, and the legislature continues to spend its time taking drinks at the asylums and solemnly meditating on such profound subjects as the protection of rabbits, and school books proving that Schley was here at the Battle of Santiago.

The term "chief horse expert" is puzzling the United States and English governments. It is not known who the "chief horse expert" is. Perhaps it is some of our Kentucky legislators. They may not be "chief horse experts," but they legislate like they are "chief horse experts."

The insurance men in the upper part of the state are trying to form some sort of a combination and raise fire insurance rates in the state. Thus far they have not made a success of it.

Perhaps in two years more Paducah will be in the majority in the legislature and then we can have the second class charter fixed as we want it, and become a city of the second class.

**THE FIREMEN'S BALL.**

The firemen are selling many tickets to their big ball and say that they think it will be a greater success than any heretofore given. There seems to be some little friendly rivalry among the firemen and the police and both are working hard to outsell the other. The police are working for their first ball and will probably not give one after this but the firemen give one each year and intend to continue the practice.

**GRIFFO INSANE.**

Chicago, Feb. 7.—"Young Griffo," the pugilist was adjudged insane today and ordered sent to an asylum. The prize fighter, some months ago was an inmate of an asylum, but he was given his freedom when it was thought he was cured. During the recent cold snap, "Griffo's" feet and hands were frozen, and although it was not found necessary to amputate them, the pain is said to have done much to unsettle the patient's mind.

**FURNACE IS OVERFLOWED.**

This morning the local Illinois Central passenger depot was cold and no fire could be made in the furnace boiler. The siphon which pumps the water out of the fire box, broke and let the furnace fill with water so that it was impossible to keep a fire going. The furnace has been a source of much trouble for the local people and it has to be repaired and overhauled several times during every season.

**GALWAY AUTHOR DEAD.**

London, Feb. 7.—Prof. Dr. Ardy Thompson of Galway is dead. He was the author of "Day Dreams of a Schoolmaster."

Winter coughs are apt to result in consumption if neglected. They can be soon broken up by using Foley's Honey and Tar.

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**THE ANNUAL REUNION**

Local Odd Fellows are already beginning preparations for the Tri-state reunion that takes place at Murphysboro, Ill., on the 25th of April. A committee composed of Messrs. Charles Earhart, Charles Smith and Frank Digel have been appointed to begin the preparations.

Foley's Honey and Tar cures the cough caused by attack of grip. It heals the lungs.

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**CAPT. SCHROEDER'S CONDITION.**

Captain S. J. Schroeder continues to slowly improve. His condition has been greatly bettered in the past three days and the physicians are greatly encouraged. He is still in danger, however.

The Sun has removed to the old News stand, 115 South Third street.

**DEADLOCK**

MINERS WILL NOT ACCEPT THE PRESENT AGREEMENT.

Indianapolis, Feb. 7.—The United Mine Workers and the operators of Illinois, Indiana, Ohio and Pennsylvania did not reach an agreement today. The discussion in the subcommittee was along the proposition of the miners for a 10 per cent advance, but it is understood that no vote was taken during the forenoon.

It became evident today that the miners have made up their minds not to accept the present agreement. A number of officials privately declared that even if the convention did adopt this scale, it would result in many strikes, as the miners would never consent to work under the conditions that now exist.

President Mitchell refused to state today whether or not the situation is satisfactory.

**KING OF SIAM**

WILL ALLOW THE CROWN PRINCE TO COME FIRST AND INVESTIGATE.

Washington, Feb. 7.—The state department is advised that, owing to a change in plans, the King of Siam will not visit the United States this year. The cause assigned is the unexpected return of the crown prince to Siam in the autumn. It is said that the crown prince will return to his country from the coronation of King Edward by way of the United States, and it is thought that the king desires to learn the impressions made upon the prince's mind during his stay in this country before determining whether or not to include the United States in his own itinerary.

**LITTLE MISSED.**

BUT FROM EVIDENCES THE THIEVES WERE COLD.

Thieves are still doing work about the city and the latest victim to their art is Flagman Gipson of the Tennessee street crossing. Last night some one entered his house at the railroad crossing and stole his overcoat. The garment was hung on a nail in the rear of the place and the door securely locked. The fire was banked for the night and upon his arrival this morning Mr. Gipson found a big fire burning and the door unlocked. The thieves had a key, he thinks, but suspects no one. This is all he has missed so far.

**FINE CHICKENS STOLEN.**

THIEVES AGAIN ABROAD ON THE NORTH SIDE OF TOWN.

There is considerable complaint from residents of the north side of chicken thieves since the city became dark. Many raids have been made, but few of them reported to the police because there is practically no chance of capturing the thieves.

Last night some one made a haul at Mr. A. A. Balesky's, on Fourth near Madison, and stole four of his finest fowls. They didn't even leave a feather.

**COUNTY CAN LEVY TAXES**

THE COURT OF APPEALS DECIDES AGAINST THREE CORPORATIONS.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 7.—The court of appeals has reversed the judgment of the Campbell circuit court in the case of Campbell county vs. the L. and N., Maysville and Big Sandy and the Covington and Cincinnati Bridge Co. The court holds the county has the right to levy taxes to build a courthouse, and that the tax levy shall be uniform throughout the whole county. The corporations are held liable.

**FLAGMAN HURT.**

MR. HENRY NANGLE LAID UP BY A SPRAINED KNEE.

Mr. Henry Nangle, the well known freight flagman, is in the hospital suffering from a sprained knee. He slipped on the ice at Greenville, Ky., yesterday morning and slid down a steep embankment lighting on the knee and spraining it badly. He was relieved as soon as possible and brought to the local hospital for treatment. His many friends will regret to learn of his accident.

**THE SUPERVISORS ADJOURN**

The board of county supervisors has adjourned after a long session. They made a total of about \$405,000 in raises, but the reductions on "protest" will probably cut this down to \$375,000. This will make the total valuation of property in the county about \$8,500,000, more than half a million increase. The amount of taxes collected by the county will probably be increased from \$62,000 to \$70,000 this year.

Mothers can safely give Foley's Honey and Tar to their children for coughs and colds, for it contains no opiates or other poisons.

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**DANGERS OF MODERN EDUCATION.**

Fond mother—Oh, I am so glad you came in! I don't know what on earth ails the baby.

Caller—Shall I run for the doctor?

Fond mother—No, for an inter-pretor. His French nurse left suddenly today, and nobody can understand what he says.—The Wave.

**Observations**

....at Random

Sergeant Charles D. Wigginton, who is now in charge of the recruiting station here, is quite a soldier, and is a hero of two wars, the Spanish-American and the Philippine insurrection. He was with the 16th U. S. Infantry during the Cuban war, and was at the battle of San Juan Hill, but discreetly declines to be interviewed on the Schley question. He was also first sergeant in the company of Former Lieutenant Mumford's company in the Philippines, and fought in about thirty battles, being wounded slightly in one. Lieutenant Mumford is now proprietor of the Palmer House news stand, and is very popular in society here. He was very glad to see his former colleague when he arrived the other day to do service in the general recruiting department.

A good story is told of how Councilman J. S. Jackson stopped midnight prowlers from stealing his wood. It got so the councilman could not leave a splinter in his yard that it was not stolen during the night. He finally had to lock everything up. If a chunk of wood happened to be in the yard at nightfall, it happened to be some where else the next morning.

The councilman finally became a little mad, and hollowing out a nice looking chunk of firewood, filled it with powder and plugged it up. Then he left it in a conspicuous place in the yard, and was not surprised the following day to find it gone. It was not long until he heard a terrific explosion in the neighborhood. It struck him at once that something had happened, and when he went out to investigate, he found the stove in the kitchen of a colored family completely demolished, with the tea kettle blown half across the room. The flying utensil had narrowly missed one of the children. The councilman thinks the experiment was a good one, however, although somewhat dangerous, as he has not been troubled with wood thieves since.

Last night four countrymen gave a performance in the poolroom at the Palmer House in the presence of a large audience. The place was crowded when they dropped in, and after watching several games by expert players, concluded that it must be great sport, and not a hard matter to put the balls in the pockets. They called the attendant and ordered a table set up, which was done, and the yokels then proceeded to amuse the gathering with their antics. They did not hold the "stick" as they called the cues, as the more expert player fields it, but suited their own style, and one fellow held his stick by the end while another held his like he would a shot gun and punched the balls along the table. After playing about an hour and a half, they finally got the last ball in, and after a lengthy conference decided to play again. By this time the pool room had gained recruits, and was well filled with spectators. The laughs that would greet the players' clumsy efforts to play the game never once effected them, and they played in ignorance that they were creating any more excitement or amusement for the crowd than any other players, until the second game ended, in about another hour.

Miss Maude Daniels, the manager of the Wilbur Opera company, has not been on the stage for several years, and thereby lacks a narrative. Formerly she was famous throughout the country for her beautiful form. In fact, she was often compared by the critics to Pauline Markham and other beautiful women, and wherever she went the critics went into raptures over her elegant physique. She was in comic opera at the time, and a member of the Wilbur company, and made the announcements between acts, attired in a handsome soldier suit with tights. In Buffalo she made the announcements one season, and the critics said she was the prettiest thing that ever loomed upon the theatrical horizon, and she was very much pleased. She made regular extempore speeches, and always scored a hit.

Then she began to get stout. She contemplated her inevitable obesity with growing alarm, but it was of no use. In a few months her best friends didn't know her. Her beautiful form was only a robust memory, and it was with misgivings that she donned another soldier suit, with tights, when the company went to Buffalo the next season, to make the announcements and speeches between acts. She did this at the urgent request of the manager, who knew how popular she was there. The event passed off smoothly enough, but many of the audience, it is said, shed tears when they saw what a change had come over their favorite. The next morning one of the papers said: "When Miss Maude Daniels was here last season, we thought she had the most beautiful form on the American stage. When we saw her again last night, we were convinced that all her form can now be used for a support for Brooklyn bridge."

Miss Daniels then left the stage, and has not been on since.

The most reliable preparation for kidney troubles on the market is Foley's Kidney Cure.

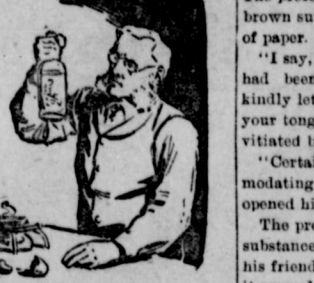
J. C. GILBERT.

The Sun has removed to the old News stand, 115 South Third street.

**A TEST EXPERIMENT**

PECULIAR POWER POSSESSED BY A NEW MEDICINE.

Of new discoveries there is no end, but one of the most recent, most remarkable and one which will prove invaluable to thousands of people is a discovery which it is believed will take the place of all other remedies for the cure of those common and obstinate diseases, dyspepsia and stomach troubles. This discovery is not a loudly advertised, secret patent medicine, but is a scientific combination of wholesome, perfectly harmless vegetable essences, fruit salts, pure pepsin and bismuth.



These remedies are combined in lozenge form, pleasant to take, and will preserve their good qualities indefinitely, whereas all liquid medicines rapidly lose whatever good qualities they may have had as soon as uncorked and exposed to the air.

This preparation is called Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, and it is claimed that one of these tablets or lozenges will digest from 300 to 3,000 times its own weight of meat, eggs and other wholesome food. And this claim has been proven by actual experiments in the following manner: A hard boiled egg cut into small pieces was placed in a bottle containing warm water, heated to ninety-eight degrees, or blood heat, one of these tablets was then placed in the bottle and the proper temperature maintained for three hours and a half, at the end of which time the egg was as completely digested as it would have been in a healthy stomach. This experiment was undertaken to demonstrate that what it would do in the bottle it would also do in the stomach, hence its unquestionable value in the cure of dyspepsia and weak digestion. Very few people are free from some form of indigestion, but scarcely two will have the same symptoms. Some will suffer most from distress after eating, bloating from gas in the stomach and bowels; others have acid dyspepsia or heartburn, others palpitation or headaches, sleeplessness, pains in chest and under shoulder blades, extreme nervousness, as in nervous dyspepsia, but they all have same cause, failure to properly digest what is eaten. The stomach must have rest and assistance, and Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets give it both, by digesting the food for it and in a short time it is restored to its normal action and vigor. At same time the Tablets are so harmless that a child can take them with benefit. This new preparation has already made many astonishing cures, as for instance, the following:

After using only one package of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, I have received such great and unexpected benefit that I wish to express my sincere gratitude. In fact, it has been six months since I took the package, and I have not had one particle of distress or difficulty since. And all this in the face of the fact that the best doctors I consulted told me my case was chronic dyspepsia, and absolutely incurable, as I had suffered twenty-five years. I distributed half a dozen packages among my friends here, who are very anxious to try this remedy.

Mrs. Sarah A. Skeels, Lynnville, Jasper Co., Mo. Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are sold by druggists everywhere at 50 cents for full sized packages. A little book on stomach diseases mailed free by addressing F. A. Stuart, Co., Marshall, Mich.

**A NIGHT ALARM.**

Worse than an alarm of fire at night is the brassy cough of croup, which sounds like the children's death knell, and it means death unless something is done quickly. Foley's Honey and Tar never fails to give instant relief and quickly cures the worst forms of croup. Mrs. P. L. Cordier of Manassas, Ky., writes: "My three-year-old girl had a severe case of croup the doctor said she could not live. I got a bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar, the first dose gave quick relief and saved her life." Refuse substitutes.

J. C. GILBERT.

**FUNERAL THIS AFTERNOON.**

The remains of the late Mr. Frank Cooney arrived from El Paso, Tex., last night, and the funeral took place this afternoon at 3 o'clock from the First Christian church, Rev. W. H. Pinkerton officiating. The burial was at Oak Grove, and the following acted as pall bearers: J. R. Dorris, Ben Weille, Fred Vint, H. G. Johnson, Louis Rapp and A. C. Patterson.

Kidney complaint kills more people than any other disease. This is due to the disease being so insidious that it gets a good hold on the system before it is recognized. Foley's Kidney Cure will prevent the development of fatal disease if taken in time.

J. C. GILBERT.

**PETITION IN BANKRUPTCY.**

Thomas H. Gaines, of Cadiz, Trigg county, has filed a petition in bankruptcy in the United States court here, with liabilities amounting to about \$1000.

**IN THE INTEREST OF SCIENCE**

When one's friend is a scientist and given to experiments, a little caution may not be out of place before consenting to do him a favor. That, however, did not occur to a certain well-known public man whose experience is related in an Australian paper. He went to the laboratory of an old schoolmate, a Melbourne professor of chemistry, to make a friendly call. The professor was studying a dark brown substance spread out on a sheet of paper.

"I say," he cried, when greetings had been exchanged, "would you kindly let me place a bit of this on your tongue? My taste has become vitiated by trying all sorts of things."

"Certainly," responded the accommodating friend, and he promptly opened his mouth.

The professor took up some of the substance under analysis and put it on his friend's tongue. The man worked it around in his mouth for fully a minute, tasting it much as he might have tasted a choice confection.

"Note any effect?" asked the professor.

"No, none."

"It doesn't paralyze or prick your tongue?"

"Not that I can detect."

"I thought not. There are no alkaloids in it, then. How does it taste?"

"Bitter as gall."

"Hem-m-m! All right."

By this time the visitor's curiosity was aroused. "But what is it, anyhow?" he inquired.

"I don't know. That's what I'm trying to find out. Some one has been poisoning horses with it."

**NOTICE.**

B. F. Young, et al vs Steamer Key City.

Whereas libels were filed in the district court of the United States, at Paducah, Ky., on the 1st day of February, 1902, by B. F. Young and others against the steamer Key City, her engines, tackle, apparel, furniture, etc., alleging in substance that said steamer was indebted to them in the sum of \$126.35, for wages as seamen on said steamer; that the said steamer is justly indebted to them in the said sum; that same has never been paid, and pray process against said steamer, and that it be condemned and sold to pay said claims, with cost and expenses. Now, therefore, in pursuance to the motion under seal of said court to me directed, I do hereby give public notice to all persons claiming the said steamer Key City, or in any manner interested therein, that they be and appear in the district court of the United States in the city of Paducah, Ky., on or before the 3d day of March, 1902, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, then and there to interpose their claims and to make their allegations in that behalf.

A. D. JAMES, U. S. M. W. K. D. By GEO. W. SAUNDERS, Deputy. BAGBY AND CAMPBELL, Proctors for Libellants. 10

**SOUTH CAROLINA INTERSTATE AND WEST INDIAN EXPOSITION, CHARLESTON, S. C., DECEMBER 1, 1901-JUNE 1, 1902.**

On account of the above occasion the Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis railway is now selling excursion tickets to Charleston at very low rates. Apply to N. C. and St. L. ticket agents for full information.

**A THOUSAND DOLLARS**

THROWN AWAY.

Mr. W. W. Baker of Plainview, Neb., writes: "My wife had lung trouble for over fifteen years. We tried a number of doctors and spent over a thousand dollars without any relief. She was very low, and I lost all hope, when a friend suggested trying Foley's Honey and Tar, which I did; and thanks to this great remedy, it saved her life. She is stronger and enjoys better health than she has ever known in ten years. We shall never be without Foley's Honey and Tar, and would ask those afflicted to try it."

J. C. GILBERT.

**A MID-WINTER TALE.**

"SLUSH! SLUSH!"

That is all we will have for days to come. Your feet will be cold, damp and uncomfortable. (That is, if they are not well shod.) Cold feet mean probable illness. Illness means doctors' bills. Save both and your temper. Put yourself in our shoes. Now, when we are selling shoes at One-Fifth Off, is the time to do so. You can have pick of any heavy shoe in the house at the price. Let us send you a pair. We guarantee satisfaction.

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**How About Your Heart**

Feel your pulse a few minutes. Is it regular? Are you short of breath, after slight exertion as going up stairs, sweeping, walking, etc? Do you have pain in left breast, side or between shoulder blades, choking sensations, fainting or smothering spells, inability to lie on left side? If you have any of these symptoms you certainly have a weak heart, and should immediately take

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Mr. F. H. Oaks of Jamestown, N. Y., whose genital face appears above, says: "Excessive use of tobacco seriously affected my heart. I suffered severe pains about the heart, and in the left shoulder and side, while the palpitation would awaken me from my sleep. I began taking Dr. Miles' Heart Cure and soon found permanent relief."

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Extra size gray army blankets, worth \$3.00, for \$2.25 per pair.  
11-4 gray, all-wool blankets, worth \$3.50, we offer for \$2.98 per pair.  
10-4 all-wool plaid blankets, heavy weight, worth \$4.75, we offer, special, at \$3.98 per pair.  
Good 10-4 all-wool red and gray blankets, special value for \$3.75 per pair.  
Fine 10-4 all-wool white blankets, with colored border, worth \$6, we offer at \$4.50 per pair.

**HEAVY UNDERWEAR**  
Ladies' heavy fleeced ribbed pants and vests, the best for 25c per garment.  
Ladies' extra heavy fine ribbed pants and vests, at 50c each.  
Misses' heavy fleeced drawers and vests, 25c each.  
Good values in boys' heavy fleeced lined drawers and vests, 25c each.

**We are offering Men's Shirts, Heavy Underwear and Gloves at Special Bargain Prices.**

**HOSIERY! HOSIERY!**  
Men's heavy ribbed hose, all sizes, 10c or 3 for 25c.  
Misses' fine ribbed fast black hose, all sizes, 15c pr.  
Boys' heavy iron clad hose, all sizes, 15c pair.  
Ladies' good black hose, 10c or 3 pair for 25c.  
Men's gray mixed hose, 10c or 3 pair for 25c.  
Men's home-knit wool socks, 25c pair.  
**Outing Flannel Kimonos and Gowns Cheap. 1-3 Off Former Price.**

**In Our Shoe Department**  
You Will Find Shoes to Fit All Feet and Rubbers to Fit All Shoes.

\$1.50 buys women's high-cut or rainy-day shoes, were \$2 to \$3.  
\$1.50 buys women's heavy sole patent kid, button, narrow widths, sold at \$3.00.  
\$2.48 buys women's patent vici dress shoe, lace, were \$5.  
\$2.98 buys women's patent vici, heavy sole, sold at \$5.50 and \$6.  
Sizes limited and broken. **Regular Prices Charged if Sent Out on Approval.**  
98c buys men's everyday shoe—good one.  
\$1.25—See our men's work shoe at \$1.25.  
\$1.50 buys a handsome dress shoe for men.

**RUBBERS! RUBBERS! RUBBERS! RUBBERS!**  
20c buys boys' rubbers—good ones.  
25c buys line women's rubbers, sizes broken.  
50c buys men's rubbers, high front.  
75c buys men's cloth high front rubbers.  
\$1.50 buys boys' rubber boots—sizes 11 to 13½.  
\$2 buys boys' rubber boots—sizes 1 to 2.  
\$2.50 buys men's rubber boots.

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## THE RIVER NEWS.

The City of Pittsburgh is due tomorrow from Memphis for Cincinnati.

The John K. Speed leaves Cincinnati tomorrow for New Orleans.

The Tennessee leaves tomorrow 5 p. m. for Tennessee river.

Wayne Turner, who is dangerously ill at his home on South Third street, is still unimproved.

Weather turned cold last night; 20 degrees above zero this morning. Business very quiet on the wharf today.

The Dick Fowler departed on time this morning for Cairo with fair business.

Nothing doing at the docks or ways today. The transfer steamer Horiam is on the ways, but nothing doing on account of the weather.

Captain Joe Fowler, Young Taylor and several other councilmen rode home last night in the "Hoodlum wagon" after the close of the council meeting.

The City of Clifton is due out of Tennessee river tomorrow.

The H. W. Buttorff leaves Nashville tomorrow for this city.

The Armour Packing company have a big crew at work in excavating and making a foundation for the cold storage depot at the corner of First and Broadway.

The Joe Fowler from Evansville arrived and departed today with good trips in and out.

The Maude Kilgore left for Memphis today with a tow of coal. Captain Lee Gordon shipped as pilot for the trip.

River, 34 feet, 9 on the gauge and rising.

Captain Henry Leyhe is spending part of the time this winter developing plans for a new boat to be built by the Eagle Packet company this year.

The proposed boat will be adapted to the excursion as well as for the general packet business, and it is the intention of the company to have it ready for carrying excursions during the World's Fair.

Captain Leyhe has designed all the boats for the Eagle Packet company, having prepared the plans for the original Grey Eagle, in 1864. The new boat will be 250 feet long and 45 feet beam. The contract for building has not yet been let.

## BIG GUNS THESE.

They Will Come Through Paducah Going South.

Prominent New Yorkers Going to New Orleans to Escort Rex.

A delegation of some of the most distinguished men in New York will pass through Paducah next Saturday afternoon en route to New Orleans to attend Mardi Gras.

The party will be headed by Hon. David B. Hill, the famous politician, who has never yet been through Paducah.

A New York dispatch says of the delegation:

"The Old Guard of New York and the Burgesses of Albany, accompanied by detachments of the Governor's Foot Guard of Hartford and New Haven, Providence Light Infantry and Cleveland Grays, will leave for New Orleans by special train on Friday to participate in the Mardi Gras."

The Old Guard and Bluegrass corps have been invited to act as escort to Rex and go to accept that invitation.

Heretofore Southern military organizations have always performed escort duty for the mimic king. The special train will leave Weehawken at 7:30 o'clock Friday morning and will go by the West Shore, Nickel Plate, Big Four, Baltimore and Ohio Southwest and Illinois Central railroads.

The visitors will return home February 14."

## BISHOP DUDLEY.

NOTED DIVINE IN PADUCAH FOR SEVERAL DAYS' STAY—LECTURE MONDAY EVENING.

Bishop Dudley will be in town tomorrow. He will preach at the Grace Episcopal church Sunday morning and evening, and on Monday will deliver the lecture on Robert E. Lee, which was so enthusiastically received in Chicago, Boston and elsewhere in the East.

ATTACHED A BARGE.

Deputy Marshal Saunders chartered the tug Smithland to go to the mouth of the Cumberland river today and attach a barge belonging to Ford Brothers, owners of the Key City, which has been tied up by the government on libel claims, and will be sold.

OFF FOR MARDI GRAS.

Chief Clerk L. A. Bumgardner, of the master mechanic's office, has gone to New Orleans to attend the big festivities. His position is being temporarily filled by Mr. Bell Given, the time keeper.

Foley's Honey and Tar is best for croup and whooping cough, contains no opiates and cures quickly. Careful mothers keep it in the house.

J. C. Gilbert.

See Janes' column for farm loan terms.

## The Arbitrator.

BY ELIZABETH CHERRY WALTZ. (Copyright, 1902, by Daily Story Pub. Co.) From a low cottage door on a green mountain slope, a crowd of people were looking across the narrow creek valley. There, evidenced by black openings on different levels, in scars and seams, in grimy elevators and sheds were the coal mines. In front were tramways, separators, great chutes where all day coal crashed and rumbled down into black cars. Here it was suddenly still and the noise of a great commotion came instead. The pit mouths gave up men instead of coal and they shouted and threw up their hands excitedly.

There was no excitement. This was something unclassified. Why had the mines quit at three o'clock in the afternoon? Had any of the men been hurt or murdered? Was it her father or brother? Was it Danny Brownell? Then a low, hoarse, beat fast, she saw many women running down the cliff path, hatless and with their babies in their arms.

Else, long limbed and youthful, caught up with Lige Fletcher's wife, who was trying to hurry with her three-month-old twins.

"Gimme one," she yelled, then ran, down the path, to the level where the men were gathered.

"What is it, men? What's up?" Willie, her tall brother of fifteen, ran toward her.

"Boss got Danny his time 'long o' the mine."

"An' we've quit!" yelled a bystander; "we've quit, six hundred o' us, 'till Danny goes back!"

"Tell he goes back," mumbled an old doorman. "Danny's boss, he's a bad one. He's a mean man."

Else, slung out Lige Fletcher in the crowd. She thrust the twin upon him forcibly.

"Her's comin' below," she explained, "but I mus' stan' by my lad."

She pushed through the excited crowd of men to the pit mouth. The cars, black, half-blind, curious.

A word and they shouted with the rest.

"We mus' ha' Danny back!" The mine boss leaned against a post, big, brutal and scowling.

"Then he'll go in and fetch out Crazy Bill!" he cried, "an' lick 'im good before me. He's been mean all day. Dan Brownell's foolish about the mine. Back to work, men!"

But an ominous growl ran through the crowd.

"Else slipped up behind Danny, so confident and handsome. He replied in words that stirred her heart."

"I'll not whip the mine in or out," said he, "for he will soon get over his stubborn spell. If he'll come out quiet I'll fetch him out, as I don't wish to see the men in trouble on my account."

"Never mind us!" yelled the crowd, "an' don't beat the mine. Crazy Bill is the safest mine we got in the mine."

No one missed Else. The mine boss had telephoned the office force in the valley below and an excited group



was coming up. Shotgun barrels flashed in the sunlight. Danny laughed good naturedly.

"We'll all be shot, boys, 'long o' that Crazy Bill!" he cried, "stand together. Here comes that whole coal company!"

Hostilities were for a moment suspended in the pleasure of watching the office force run up the hill slope. Seeing reinforcements at hand the mine boss seized Danny by the collar.

"Here, you're the ring-leader! Now you'll find your place."

There was an angry roar and rush and the man was jostled and drawn firmly into the crowd.

"Oh, you will try dirty tricks, then? Now we've got you an' we'll hol' you."

Lastly he cried for help, but what could six persons do against six hundred? One man stood forward, tall and calm. A few of the men knew him for the general manager of the company, and seldom seen at the mines.

"What's up, my men?" Danny told him in a few terse sentences. They sounded humorous. The general manager listened and actually grinned. The grin grew into a laugh and was actually infectious. The strikers laughed with him.

"A mule and a mutiny," observed the general manager, "and where is the rebel?"

As if a stage cue had been given, Crazy Bill walked out of the mine mouth. His rusty chains dragged behind him, but his head was proudly erect. On his back, clinging to his collar, sat Else, her braids unfettered by her rough ride, her face sooty and streaked.

She saw no one but Danny, and to him, her young eyes all alight, she called:

"I brung out Crazy Bill, Danny! He knows you allers lame ride 'im. Now

there's no need for any strike. I fetched 'im out 'bout a lick, Danny! 'How the men shouted!

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## Poisoned by Absorption

**POISON OAK, POISON IVY, BARBER'S ITCH, LEAD AND BRASS POISONING, ETC.**

Through the pores of the skin many poisons are absorbed into the blood, deranging the circulation and affecting the constitution as quickly and seriously as those generated within the system. Just under the skin are innumerable hair-like blood vessels, and connecting these with the skin are millions of small tubes or glands, through which the poison is conveyed to the blood system. During the spring and summer, while the skin is most active and the pores well open, we are much more liable to be affected by the poisons of Poison Oak and Ivy and other dangerous plants. Workers in brass, copper, lead and zinc are poisoned through the absorption of fine particles of these metals and the acids used in polishing and cleaning them. Inhaling the fumes of lead give painters that pallid, waxy appearance of the skin, and is a most obnoxious one when it becomes firmly fixed in the system. After the poison has reached the blood and been disseminated throughout the system it is too late to resort to local applications. In many cases the blood is affected simultaneously with the appearance of the rash or eruption on the skin, and all efforts should be directed to break out in spite of salves, washes, soaps or other external treatment.

S. S. S. is especially recommended for poisons of this character. So completely does it destroy the effects of the Oak and Ivy that there is no possibility of its reappearance, and it is equally as efficacious in brass or lead poisoning or Barber's Itch; building up and purifying the blood and driving out of the circulation impurities of every kind, and removing every blemish, sore or eruption from the skin. There is no substitute for S. S. S.; it is the only purely vegetable blood purifier known, and the safest and best in all constitutional or blood diseases.

**Our Medical Consultation Department.**—If you desire any special information or advice about your case, write our physicians, explaining your condition, and they will carefully consider what you have to say and you will receive a prompt reply. Our physicians have made a study of blood and skin diseases, and you can have the benefit of their experience and skill without any cost to you whatever. Don't hesitate to write fully about your case, as nothing you say goes beyond our office. We have a very interesting book on Blood and Skin Diseases, which we will be glad to mail free.

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Numbers 637 South Ninth and 909 Ohio streets, both on same lot, and rent total of \$20.50 per month. Five and three rooms respectively. Good investment at price, \$1,600.

No. 317 North Twelfth street, new 4-room house with hall and front and back porches, rents at \$13 month, 51x285 feet, with a double 6-room house at west end of lot, which rents at \$14 month, and vacant space for another small house. Price on whole, \$2,100, or will sell each separate.

Jan. 24-02

No. 1238 Jefferson street four room house, 49 foot lot, first class location. Price \$1,300 of which \$500 cash and balance on payments to suit buyer.

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Fifty lots in Fountain Park, at prices from \$125 to over \$1,000 on payments of \$10 cash and \$5 monthly.

Streets graded or under contract to be graded, and going to be best residence section of city, and on these low prices lots will be great enhancement in value. The place for homes.

No. 321 North Twelfth street, five room house, water in kitchen, comfortable, good home at \$1,150.

**FOR SALE.**

Ten room house, newly papered and repaired, suitable for boarding house, Broadway, just west of new school building. Easy payments on sale. See me.

Clay street corner lots for sale. Can give you corners Clay and Eleventh, Thirteenth, Fourteenth, Fifteenth, Sixteenth and Seventeenth, some of these with adjoining inside lots, so can build on both streets.

No. 1119 North Twelfth street, four room house, 40 lot with shade trees, nice home at \$600 on easy payments.

No. 1517 Broad street, 7-rooms, large lot, extending back and fronting on Elizabeth street, space for two more houses in fine location for rents. Anxious to sell, and a bargain can be gotten.

100 lots above Mechanicsburg at \$50 each, on payments of \$10 cash and \$5 per month without interest, and if buyer pays as much as \$20 and dies will make deed to his wife, if a married man, without more pay. Fine chance for colored people. Two church lots and one for school house given free.

No. 519 Elizabeth street, double house, 4 rooms one side and 3 rooms in other side, rents at \$13 per month. Good investment.

Three houses, North Seventh street, between Jefferson and Monroe, first class investment. See me for details.

Good, well built three room house with large lot on Wagoner Avenue at \$300.

900 Brinson avenue, nice house, large roomy lot, corner, must be sold and a bargain can be had by acting at once.

Four 80 foot front lots, fronting on Lang park, low prices and easy payments.

60-foot front Broadway lot, North Side, between Twelfth and Thirteenth. Easy payments.

**FOR SALE OR RENT.**

No. 520 N. Sixth St. nine room house, modern conveniences, large and well shaded yard. Price \$4,000 on easy payments.

No. 1101 North Tenth street, house, four rooms, hall and porches, price \$1,000, mostly on monthly payments.

Three brick four room cottages with 480 feet of ground fronting south on Clay street between Eleventh and Twelfth street. Will sell whole or any portion wanted. See me for price and terms on part you want.

As nice, well-built modern eight room house as can be found in the city. See me for details and get a No. 1 home. Price on easy payments, \$3,000.

508 and 510 South Fourth street, five and six room cottages, prices \$1,300 and \$1,500.

428 South Tenth street five rooms, hall and porches, rents at \$16 month. Price \$1,100.

Three room house on good lot on Jones street, price \$650, mostly on monthly payments. Chance for colored man to get good home.

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The price for advertisements in this column is 60 a line. Cash must accompany the order for all ads. There will be no variance from this rule for anyone.

If you are in need of anything in the fancy stationery line call to see our line just in. It is the prettiest, by far, in the city. Our prices can't be beaten.

FOR RENT—The second floor of The Sun's new building will be fitted up to suit tenant. It is an ideal location for an office. Inquire at The Sun.

—Lecture on Robert E. Lee at Y. M. C. A. hall Monday night, February 10, by Bishop Dudley. HALL WILL BE WARM.

WANTED—A middle-aged colored woman to cook and do house work. Apply 919 Jefferson. Dr. Rivers.

WANTED—Position as cook. Address C. care Sun.

WANTED TO RENT—A suit of five rooms or a small cottage near Sixth and Monroe streets. Address M. D., care Sun.

—The Sun will not receive any "Want" or "Local" advertisements except for cash with the order. We are compelled to adopt this rule from the fact that it costs us more in collector's time than we get for the advertisement. This rule will be strictly adhered to, and we trust no one will ask for credit, as we shall be compelled to refuse them.

Respectfully,  
The Sun Publishing Co.

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Cost you 8 cents per line.  
Sells plenty hickory wood at 1230 South Third Street. Mail orders.  
—Joe Wheeler cigars. Ring 305. If  
—H. H. Loving for insurance of all sorts.

—Phone 305 for Elks Dream  
—Calling cards 75c a 100 at The Sun office.

—If it is neat stationery you wish, have The Sun job rooms do it.  
—A complete line of blank books and typewriting supplies for the new year at R. D. Clements and Co.

—The Sun job rooms are prepared to give you the prettiest job work you ever saw.

—Pillsbury's flour, best to be had. Ask your grocer.

—The Sun job rooms are prepared to give you the neatest work of any to be found in the city.

—Money loaned on diamonds, pistons and guns by Cohen. 104 Second street. 1mo

—The election of officers for the Tribe of Ben Hur was last night postponed.

—COHEN, the only licensed pawn broker in the city. Five per cent charged on all loans over \$100 after Feb. 1st. 106 Second street. 1mo

—Mr. Morris Friedman will shortly begin the erection of a nice building on Court street, near Third, adjoining the Rodfus saloon.

—AUCTION SALE HOUSEHOLD AND KITCHEN FURNITURE—At the residence of E. B. Jones, 308 North Ninth street, Saturday morning, February 8, at 10 a. m.

—Ollie Block, fined \$40 and costs in the police court for keeping a disorderly house, and who first decided to take an appeal, has changed her mind and paid the fine.

—Eley has a special on Corsets and stockings tomorrow. See the ad in today's Sun.

—Mrs. Lillian Miller, who is now residing in Chicago, is here on a visit. She is suffering from pneumonia, sustained by trying to extinguish a fire in her apartments that burned some lace curtains.

—Look at Eley's special in this issue for tomorrow only. There's money in it.

—Captain Henry Bailey has received word from Louis word to look out for William Huey, an expert accountant.

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The five which were extinguished often  
stomachs in the sun—Cornmeal.  
BREAKFAST.  
Fruit.  
Grape Nuts, Whipped Cream.  
Oyster Omelet.  
Potatoes Stewed with Herbs.  
Buckwheat Cakes. Coffee.  
DINNER.  
Potato Soup.  
Sautéed Filet Mignon.  
French Fried Sweet Potatoes.  
Cauliflower Baked with Cheese.  
Egg Salad.  
Pine Whip.  
Coffee.  
SUPPER.  
Warm Over Meat.  
Potato Puffs. Tomatoes.  
Cranberry Tart.  
Tea.  
RANDERS—Miss a cup and a half of cold butter, season with a heaping salt-spoonful of salt and a good dash of pepper and simmer ten minutes in the following sauce: Mix together two heaping table-spoonfuls of brown sugar, a quarter of a bar of grated chocolate, one tablespoonful each of shredded candied orange and lemon peel, ten blanched almonds, half a cupful of currants and one cupful of vinegar. Let them cook two hours; pour over the mixture and simmer ten minutes; then put meat in patty pan, cover with mashed potato and brown in the oven.

**1-5 OFF**  
On all heavy shoes is  
drawing the crowds and  
selling the shoes at  
**Lendler & Lydon's**  
309 Broadway

wanted there for forging an endorsement on a \$3,200 check and getting the money on it.

—Pillsbury flour, best on earth. Call on your grocer for it.

—Rev. Chiles, the South Third street evangelist, has received a letter from Gunner's Mate Max Hansen of the Kearsarge, dated December 29th, Japan. He saw an article about Rev. Chiles' good work in a Washington paper, and wrote him of it.

—Ask your grocer for Pillsbury's flour, best on earth.

—Attorneys R. O. Hester and W. J. Webb of Mayfield were in the city yesterday afternoon settling the debts of Brand and Co., bankrupts. They owned a dry goods store, and their liabilities were about \$18,000. The settlement was on a basis of ten per cent.

—You can make more loaves of bread out of Pillsbury flour than from two barrels of other.

—A smoking stove at Jeweler Wolf's on Broadway at an early hour this morning, attracted some little attention, and it was thought the stove was afire, but this proved to be a mistake, when investigated by Merchants' Policemen Presnell.

—Nothing equals Pillsbury's flour. Ask your dealer for it.

—Mr. L. C. Perry has returned from a hunting trip to Marion and Princeton, and claims to have gotten nine "coons out of one tree. It seems the "varmints" were holding a family reunion when surprised.

—Pillsbury's flour, the very best to be had, for all purposes.

—Messrs. Roy Nelson and Sam Brown have returned from a duck hunt up the Ohio. They were ice bound for two days, and had anything but a pleasant experience.

—The best flour is Pillsbury's. Ask your grocer for it.

**THE SICK**  
Mrs. Tom Lyle is ill of fever.

Mrs. Harry Williamson is ill.

Mr. Will Dicke, the tailor, is on the sick list.

Mr. Jack Carmen, of the Palmer bar, who has been ill for a day or two, is out this morning and again on duty.

**IS REPORTED BETTER.**  
Miss Lettie Dunn of Smithland, who was so badly burned day before yesterday, is reported better today.

Captain Dunn went up yesterday to be at her bedside.

Our regular size 30 cent can Pineapple Chunk for 15 cents tomorrow at Jake Biederman Gro. Co's.

**ANNOUNCEMENT.**  
Regular services at Temple Israel this evening. Services commence at 7:30.

Oranges fifteen cents per dozen at Jake Biederman Gro. Co's as long as they last.

**DEEDS.**  
T. E. Hadlocks and others deed to Guy Shaw, for \$119.30, property in Woodville.

A fifteen cent can Pineapple Chunk for only 10 cents at Jake Biederman Gro. Co's tomorrow.

About People  
And  
Social Notes.

Miss May Coleman, of Princeton, passed through the city today en route to Murray to visit relatives.

Miss Cuttie Roach, of Gracely, Ky., is the guest of Miss Sarah Weeks, of North Fourth street.

Dr. J. R. M. Dillon, of I. C. hospital, will leave Sunday for New Orleans to attend the Mardi Gras.

Mr. Joe Hobson, the shoe drummer, has returned from a several weeks' trip through Indian Territory, Texas and Missouri.

Mrs. William Epstein has returned from a visit to St. Louis.

Mr. Robert Moore has returned from St. Louis, where he has been residing.

Dr. C. E. Whitesides will return Sunday from his trip to Columbus, Ind.

Attorney Sam Crossland, of Mayfield, who has been in the city for the past several days, went to Cadiz this morning on business.

Mr. W. B. Kennedy returned from Mayfield this morning.

Mrs. Sarah Ballowe, residing at 302 South Fourth street, who has been very ill, is slowly recovering.

Master Mechanic Barton went to Central City this morning on business.

Mr. T. M. Baughman, foreman of the wood working department of the local shops, returned to the city this morning after a business visit to Fulton.

Captain G. W. Phillips, of the steamer Sun, has gone to Evansville on a visit.

Mr. Gerhe Allison, of Bayon, is at the St. Nicholas.

Mr. B. C. Sears, of Mayfield, is in the city.

Mr. S. B. Shannon, of Owensboro, is at the New Richmond.

Mr. C. H. Starks, of Benton, is in the city.

Miss Ora Leigh, of the Democrat, went to Frankfort on a visit at noon today.

Rev. George W. Briggs went to Greenville, Ky., at noon and will return tonight.

Mr. Latham Anderson, of Kuttawa, is at the Palmer.

Mr. J. M. Bonavita, of Boston, the well known traveling man, is in the city today on business.

Miss Theresa Theuring arrived Wednesday from St. Louis on a visit to relatives.

Captain J. E. Williamson has gone to Illinois on business.

Mr. Wm. Colgan, state agent of the State Mutual, of Worcester, Mass., is in the city on business.

**PAINFULLY BURNED.**

A BUCKET OF COALS AND ASHES FALLS ON S. S. MIZELL.

Mr. S. S. Mizell of 427 South Fourth street was painfully burned this morning while carrying out a bucket of hot ashes.

He slipped up in the yard and was thrown to the ground, the bucket striking his arm and turning over. All the contents of burning coals and ashes were thrown on his arm, and his right wrist was burned so badly that the skin peeled off, and left the flesh bare. Dr. Sanders dressed the injury.

**COAL MEN**

A meeting of several Kentucky coal operators was held yesterday at the Louisville hotel behind closed doors. According to information which leaked out later the question of legislation affecting the coal interests of the state was up for discussion, and it was decided to send a committee to Frankfort to look after the matter. Among those present were J. R. Rash, of Earlington; Hywell Davies, of Tennessee; W. E. Davis, of Jellico; Arthur Graves, of Knoxville, and W. J. Nisbet, of Providence.

**LORD ROSSLYN'S FINISH.**

Word reached London today that Lord Rosslyn's system at Monte Carlo had collapsed, and that he is a rather heavy loser. "A friend of his was starting for Monte Carlo to play the system, and was actually in the train at Charing Cross with his luggage booked for "The Sunny South," when a telegram was put into his hand telling him that the end had come, and that there was no use in his making the journey.

**SENT TO ATLANTA**

Mrs. J. J. Bromley, whose husband deserted her, has been sent to her home in Atlanta, Ga. Her husband was an employee of the Cokhanus factory and deserted her leaving her without any means of support and she was forced to appeal to others for help. The ladies of the city made up money enough to take her to her home.

**THE OLD RELIABLE PAWN BROKER.**

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Mr. Cohen has been in the pawn broker business in Paducah for 13 years, and has built up a splendid business by Strictly Business Methods. MONEY LOANED ON ALL VALUABLES AT THE RATE OF FIVE PER CENT.

All business conducted with us is held strictly confidential. We thank our friends for their patronage and solicit a continuance of the same.

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**GREAT GROWDS**

GATHERING AT NEW ORLEANS FOR MARDI GRAS FESTIVITIES, COMUS BALL OPENING SOCIAL FUNCTION.

New Orleans, Feb. 7.—The carnival of 1902, which socially has been in swing for the three weeks past, actually opened last night with the parade and ball of Comus. The city is already well filled with strangers, and the railroads report that the travel from now until Tuesday will be very heavy. The weather yesterday was threatening, but there was a clear night for the pageant, which was of great splendor.

The annual arrival of Rex occurs on Monday, and among those who will assist in the reception will be the Burgess Corps of New York. Proteus had his pageant on Monday evening. The Rex procession occurs on Tuesday. The Comus pageant on that evening and balls by Comus and Rex will close the carnival.

**SAMPSON TO FILE BRIEF**

WILL BE IN NATURE OF A PROTEST AGAINST THE SETTLEMENT OF THE QUESTION OF COMMAND.

Washington, Feb. 7.—Messrs. Slayton and Theall, counsel for Rear Admiral Sampson, filed with the settlement today a protest against the settlement of the question of command at Santiago. Rear Admiral Sampson, they will claim, has had no chance whatever to submit evidence. It will be stated that the quartermaster of the Oregon, had been allowed by the court of inquiry to testify, would have stated that on the day of the battle he could, with the aid of a telescope have read signals flown from the New York. The officers of the New York could give evidence regarding the position of the cruiser to which they were attached, the officers on other vessels had they been allowed to testify, could have given evidence which would have been valuable in determining the position of Rear Admiral Sampson's flagship.

**IT IS GRADUAL**

MORE WIRES ARE NOW WORKING—IMPROVEMENT EVERY DAY.

Supt. Harry Wallace thinks that by tomorrow night some of the street lights will be turned on. He has had men at work on the system since the storm last week, and is confident that things will soon be in shape again.

There are today about eight of the long distance telephones working with a prospect of many more by the end of the week. The situation at the telegraph office is about the same.

The street cars are now running regularly, and it will be but a short time until all the incandescent lights are burning.

The Third street line of cars will not begin running for several days yet.

**PERMANENT ORGANIZATION**

BYLAWS AND RULES READY FOR THE BUILDERS' ASSOCIATION.

Mr. H. H. Evans, chairman of the committee and constitution of the House Builders' Association temporarily organized here a few nights ago, and his committee have formulated a set of rules and bylaws, after two sessions and will submit them at the meeting tomorrow night at the I. O. O. F. room, when the association will be permanently organized. It is probable they will be adopted.

**DID AS ORDERED**

BUT THE WOULD-BE ROBBER WAS SURPRISED.

A night or two ago a white man stopped Mr. John Williamson, Jr., near Sixth and Harrison streets, and ordered him to throw up his hands. He thought he would rob Mr. Williamson in the darkness.

Mr. Williamson threw up his hands as directed, but when he did he had a gun in one of them, and the would-be robber fairly flew.

**OVER A HUNDRED THOUSAND.**

London, Feb. 7.—The war office this evening published a summary of the British losses in South Africa. Up to January 1 the total reduction of the forces from death or permanent disability were 25,505 men. The total casualties, including surviving wounded, was 5,240 officers and 109,761 men.

**PRESIDENT'S SON**

HAS PNEUMONIA.

Washington, Feb. 7.—Mrs. Roosevelt was called to Groton this morning by the illness of Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., who is ill there of pneumonia.

See James' column for farm loan terms.

**AT "THE KENTUCKY."**

Miss Maude Daniels, manager of the Wilbur Opera company, has decided in view of existing circumstances, to reduce the price of admission to the excellent operas that are being given nightly at The Kentucky. This is because of the difficulties resulting from a dark city and curtailed street car facilities.

"I believe," she said to a reporter, "that the price of everything should be placed within reach of all the people. We want every person to attend our performances, not one or two nights, but every night, and I don't think that every man or woman feels like he or she can spare fifty or thirty-five cents every night. We want every person who comes to go home feeling that he or she has received his or her money's worth. For this reason, Manager English and I have concluded to reduce the price of admission for next week to from fifteen to fifty cents. There will be only a few of the down stairs seats fifty cents. The remainder will be thirty-five cents, and the others twenty-five cents. This is effective next week, and we expect to double the attendance. In addition, we are going to give bargain matinees throughout next week. We will play everyone for ten cents a seat, first come, first served, and I believe that the result will bear me out in my theory that these reduced prices will result in an enormous increase in patronage.

"We fully appreciate the conditions under which our patrons have attended the performances this week, and believe that with lights and street cars next week, and a reduction in prices, we will have all we can play to every night.

"This is not our first experience in a dark town. In Canada, last season, we played thirteen weeks in a skating rink, with candles for footlights and candles for all other illuminating purposes. In Canada, when they have their dreadful storms, they shut off every bit of the electricity, and having no theatre on account of a fire, we were forced to play our thirteen weeks' engagement with no lights except candles—but we turned people away every night."

The public will doubtless be pleased to learn of the reduction of prices for this popular opera. This afternoon a big matinee is being given at the reduced price of ten cents.

"Fra Diavolo" was the bill at The Kentucky last evening, and the Wilbur pleased a large audience. The principals were well cast, and Mr. Gus Vaughan as "Fra Diavolo," had a part that he sang much better than the one on the preceding night, when he dispassionately warbled the beautiful "Heart Raved Down" in front of the footlights with a sphinx-like, blank, dying-calf expression. He was fine last night, as were Miss Burnham, the popular prima donna, and Miss Richardson, the other soprano, both of whom were well received, as their work entitled them to be. Mr. Fuller, the basso, scored a great hit in his "Asleep in the Deep." He was forced to sing it four times. Mr. John Young, in the comedy parts, was good, and furnished plenty of amusement. The disarming scene in the second act was chaste and refined, and quite a credit to Miss Richardson. Mr. Allan Ramsey as Lord Allcash, and Mr. Herbert J. Carter as Lorenza were in good voice, and contributed their usual share to the pleasure and enjoyment of the audience. The specialties continue to be a source of great delight to the people. Tonight we have "Pinafore," with prospects of a crowded house.

The Red Men will shortly begin practicing for the cantata, "The Haymakers." The books have arrived and there will be a meeting of the committee on arrangements at the hall this evening. Prof. H. O. Farnham is in charge of the affair.

**CHINESE NEW YEAR.**

IT IS A DAY OF REST FOR THE CELESTIALS.

This is New Year's day among the Celestial aristocracy, the element that has for its coat of arms a flat iron rampant and a shirt dormant is not celebrating extensively in Paducah. Inquiry at the laundry elicited the information that the day would be spent in quiet style.

Food has been prepared which betrays the occasion. The almond-eyed people have the science of getting a chicken's bones and tissues so thoroughly removed from the portions that are to be consumed that the dish when served becomes a thing of beauty and a joy forever, and this is one of the many delicacies that are enjoyed.

New Year's cards are out, but save for the gay color of the paper, the receiver can not tell whether he is being wished many happy returns of the day or being invited to a funeral. Work is not one of the characteristics of the Chinaman during the day, as a general holiday will be observed.

**GOT THE GIRL.**

HOW A LOVELORN YOUTH FOOL-ED THE PARENTS.

Mayfield, Feb. 7.—Thos. Cooper, a young man from Illinois, came over and fell in love with Miss Nellie Riding, a young lady out of Golo. Her parents were very much opposed to the match. He picked his duds and pretended to leave for his northern home. Her parents, thinking he had left the county, went visiting next day, when he went and stole her out, and started to get married, and while on his way met a preacher on a bridge, when then and there they had the knot tied, and at once left the county, very happy but badly scared.

**ARMY SITE.**

NOTHING YET RECEIVED OF THE SELECTION OF THEM.

Nothing has been received here regarding the selection of the army post sites, which is supposed to have been made in Washington a week ago. It was reported yesterday that Paducah was one of the successful places, and yesterday a number of farmers who reside in the locality in which the post was to be located, came to town to learn whether it was true or not, as they did not want to have to move.

Secretary Dains expects to hear from Washington as soon as the report of the army board is made public.

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NIGHT: 15 Cents to 50 Cents.  
Regular Matinee  
**TOMORROW**

PRICES:  
Children 10 Cents.  
Adults 25 Cents.  
Entire Change of Opera Every Performance.

SPECIALTIES BETWEEN ACTS  
Seats Now on Sale.

**A Very Remarkable Shirt Sale!**

The very fine t \$1.50 and \$2.00 Men's Colored stiff bosom Shirts go at choice for

**\$1.00.**

All new patterns, all this season's styles; all sizes and sleeve lengths.

**Wallerstein's**  
CLOTHING AND FURNISHING

Attend Our Big Cut Price Clothing Sale.

Attend Our Big Cut Price Clothing Sale.

**EXTRAORDINARY! ELEY Special.**

Our Special for this week is for one day only, Saturday. We are offering bargains in this sale that will move the goods in a hurry. We have a good assortment, but to be sure to get them, it is best to come early Saturday. It hurts us to slaughter goods this way, but we need the room and must have it, even at a sacrifice.

**CORSETS**

**50c** Takes pick of our best \$1 corsets. This includes all leading brands handled by us, the very best corsets to be found anywhere.

**SPRING GOODS.**  
The very latest things in bordered percales and bordered flannellettes are our newest arrivals.

**MUSLINS.**  
We are showing new arrivals of muslins and embroideries—the handsomest line in the city.

**STOCKINGS**

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